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CHASKA, Sept. 1st 1878.

**Chaska Elevator.**

We respectfully inform our friends that we have added to our elevator a new feature.

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(Next door to National Hotel.)  
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Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of chairs, bedsteads, bureaus, lounges, sofas, picture frames, etc., etc.

Repairing promptly attended to. All work guaranteed, and charges reasonable.

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Keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of HARNES, SADDLERY, BLANKETS, AND TRIMMINGS.

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Also FURNITURE of every description at city prices.

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A. KOHLER.

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Clerk of Court—C. Krayenbuhl.  
Surveyor—H. J. Chevre.  
Judge of Probate—J. A. Sargent.  
School Superintendent—Wm. Benson.  
Coroner—Robt. Miller.  
County Commissioners—S. B. Kohler, Chairman, A. W. Tiffin, Frederick Hiltz, A. J. Carlson, Adam Hill.

Births in Minnesota for 1878 are 21,799 to 6,779 deaths. Showing a natural increase of 15,200.

It is said that Governor Pillsbury has consented to allow the use of his name for a third term. Lt. Governor Wakefield is also in the field for the nomination. We prefer to see Gov. Wakefield nominated as he is an able man and deserving the succession.

More than a dozen bills have been introduced cutting down the salaries of State and County officers. We have no objection to making providing discretion is used in the framing of the bill. Let good sound judgment prevail, however.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature looking to the abolishment of the Grand Jury. We hardly believe it will pass, and think it is of doubtful policy.

The New Ura Review, comes to us this week changed to an 8 column folio and printed on a new Campbell Power Press. It is now one of the best local papers published in the State. We wish Mr. Bobbette, success.

The Reno Court, held at Chicago, is progressing with commendable swiftness. It is a mixed up mess and the result of the trial cannot be predicted with any degree of certainty.

CARPENTER in Wisconsin, Logan in Illinois, Pratt in Connecticut, Walker in Arkansas, Conkling in New York, and Gill in Florida are the result of U. S. Senatorial Legislative Elections in those States.

STOPPING PLACE.  
Our legislative delegation is domiciled at the following place in St. Paul.  
Col. Baxter and Rep. Denny have rooms at the Merchants Hotel.  
Senator Mills is at the International on Jackson St. and Rep. Hill is stopping at Upman's Hotel on 3rd Street, where they will always be pleased to meet their constituents.

THE MASS MEETING.  
The mass meeting at Waconia last Saturday was not as largely attended as anticipated but the proceedings were harmonious. We publish the proceedings in another column, to which we refer our readers for particulars.

For Legislative proceedings, see inside page.

**MINNESOTA IN CONGRESS.**

Congressional Record, 21st.

Mr. Dummell introduced a bill (H. R. No. 6,083) to repeal all acts and parts of acts relative to the pre-emption of the public lands of the United States, which was read a first and second time, referred to the committee on public lands, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Dummell also introduced a bill (H. R. No. 6,084) granting a pension to William Barnard, which was read a first and second time, referred to the committee on invalid pensions, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Dummell also introduced a bill (H. R. No. 6,085) for the relief of Joseph P. Wilson, which was read a first and second time, referred to the committee on revolutionary pensions, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Dummell also introduced a bill (H. R. No. 6,086) to regulate the survey and sale of the timber lands of the United States, which was read a first and second time, referred to the committee on public lands, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Strait introduced a bill (H. R. No. 6,087) to reduce the price of public lands within railroad limits, which was read a first and second time, referred to the committee on public lands, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Stewart introduced a bill (H. R. No. 6,088) granting a pension to Patrick Ryan, which was read a first and second time, referred to the committee on invalid pensions, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Stewart also introduced a bill (H. R. No. 6,089) for the relief of Isabella Fagnand, which was read a first and second time, referred to the committee on public lands, and ordered to be printed.

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**EDITOR VALLEY HERALD:**

The convention in the interest of retrenchment, held at Waconia on Saturday last, though not formidable in point of numbers, reflected the sentiment of many of the taxpayers of the County, although not present to participate in its proceedings. With the gradual shrinkage of the salaries of public officers should coincide thereto. This proposition is one which simply meets the plain requirements of justice toward the taxpayers.

A small percentage of reduction in each department of public expenditures will aggregate a sum which would surprise those who, have paid little attention to the subject. We notice that some of our legislative delegation seem to be active in this reform, but we desire to warn them that they be not penny wise and pound foolish. The slight reduction which may take place in the salaries of this County is threatened to be more than neutralized by a law now introduced in the legislature to create a County Judgeship for every county in the state, which shall assume the Probate business and hear appeals from justice courts, and in effect do a large share of the business now done by the District Courts. The incumbent must have the qualifications of a District Judge, and will therefore expect a similar salary. Each County will be called upon to pay it instead of the State. It is a job of second and third rate lawyers, now in the legislature, who find it easier to compel the State to support them in some such needless office than to earn a livelihood by legitimate practice. We hope the delegation from this County will be found stopping the heels in this direction as well as in the reduction of salaries.

**Norwood Items.**

Wheat deliveries light prices advanced two cents.

Ackerman & Co., shipped two cars of pork this week.

The "sociable" Mr. Stocams on Tuesday evening was regularly attended and a pleasant time was had by all present.

Chaska and Glenwood were represented in our village on Sunday, the former by Prof. Taylor and the latter by Dr. Allen.

Young Fitzgerald who was seriously wounded under the assumption Church is slowly recovering under the skillful treatment of Dr. Riches. Collier is still at large.

A. Mr. Driehausen here met with quite a severe accident which will probably prove fatal. While out working his team became frightened and ran away and Mr. D., as the custom with many, had his lines wrapped around his body and could not extricate himself and so was dragged over the frozen ground for a distance of forty rods, his face and body was terribly lacerated and his skull fractured. Dr. Miles was called and finding the case serious telegraphed for Dr. Lewis. There is little hope of his recovery.

P. S.—Since died.

Another, A. Mr. Laway indulged in too much fire water on Monday and on his way home fell out of the wagon the wheels passing over his face and neck. He is in a critical condition. Dr. Riches has charge of the case.

The news of Colgrove's death gave our village such a shock as is only felt when a loved one is thus snatched from life to death. Nearly all the citizens flocked to the depot to hear all they could of "Harvey's" tragic death. The company mourn the loss of an efficient officer. The traveling public's kind and cordial friend. His family a devoted husband and father. Peace to his ashes.

**Carver County—Its Towns and Some of the Early Settlers.**

(Continued from last week.)

The assessed valuation of all the personal and real estate of the County, for the year 1876 was the sum of \$153,063.10—it should be stated that at this time, that the title to most of the real estate was in the United States, consequently the improvements only, could be assessed for taxable purposes.

The assessors were Jacob Behrler and G. M. Powers and their official bonds appear to be the first on record in the County.

At the election in the fall of this year Hon. J. M. Trol was elected by a large majority to the Territorial Legislature, and he discharged the duties, appertaining thereto with honor to himself and the entire satisfaction of his constituents—it will be seen that Mr. Trol was the first one to represent the County at the Capitol of the State, after the organization. At this election our old friend Robert Miller was elected County Commissioner; Fred Greiner, Register of Deeds, (he did not qualify); J. O. Dennis, Treasurer, who a short time after his acceptance resigned; J. A. Sargent, Co. Attorney.

The above election was the most exciting and bitter ever held in the County caused principally by voting upon the permanent location of the County seat. San Francisco, Carver and Chaska were the three towns designated in the act for the location.

The census of the votes on the evening of election showed that there were 29 voted for San Francisco, 143 for Carver and 303 for Chaska, the announcement of the votes Chaska "triumphed" and the writer of this who was a citizen of Carver regretted early. The number of votes in the County as appeared on the Poll list at that time was 458. Chaska elected Carver of double voting while Carver accused Chaska of voting early and often—but it is presumed that there was but few, if any, illegal votes cast at that election.

The first court of the County was held in July 1856. The Hon. A. G. Chasfield,

**Territorial Judge; T. B. Hunt, Clerk; E. Edsforth, Sheriff.**

J. H. Brown and J. A. Sargent, were admitted to practice law in all the Courts of the Territory after having been duly examined by the Court, and a committee consisting of T. J. Gailbreth and J. M. Holland. It is well known that Mr. Brown came to the front as one of the leading attorneys of Shakopee and the Minnesota Valley. Mr. Brown a few years since moved to Wilmar in the County of Kandiyohi and when the new Judicial District was formed by the Legislature the Governor appointed him Judge of the district until the electors should elect. At the first election after his appointment the people unanimously elected him Judge for their Judicial District, and it appears to the writer if the citizens of those counties consult their own interest will continue to re-elect him so long as he will accept the position.

At the session of the Court at this time, John Schlemme was tried for killing Nicholas Barton near Chaska—the killing originated in a CLAIM FIGHT. After some delay in obtaining a jury, one was obtained consisting of the following persons to wit:

Henry Solms, Wm. Mortimer, Francis Hassenstahl, Joseph Haughtman, Edward Reuse, John Schaffer, Philip Reynolds, Gustave Krayenbuhl, Bernard Walter, Frederick Hecklin, Louis Schrempf and Joseph Burkardt, being the first jury ever empaneled in District Court in Carver County.

The trial lasted two days and finally resulted in the disagreement of the jury; it was understood that seven were for conviction and five for acquittal. The Government was represented by County Attorney and Thos. J. Gailbreth, the prisoner was defended by J. M. Holland, and Frank Warner, Esq., Schlemme entered into a recognizance for his appearance at the next term of Court, but the case was never brought on for trial; this ended the first murder trial ever had in the County.

At this term of Court, Jacob Ehinger, Joseph Vogel and Frederick Hecklin received their final citizen certificates and were entitled to all the rights and privileges of native born citizens of the United States.

[To be Continued.]

**Benton Items.**

J. Gruber is receiving lots of hoop-poles. He has three employees at work in his Cooper Shop.

The following couple were "called" off in Church last Sunday, from which it will be seen that the matrimonial market is good in Benton.

George Bleicher, Jr., to Miss Katie Patterson, daughter of Robt. Patterson.

John Williams to Miss Josephine Hoen.

Henry Van Buggmann to Miss Mary Williams.

John Becker to Miss Lena Vossen.

Father Braun had a remarkable experience in marrying Mr. Chas. Hartung to Miss Kolberg of Camden. The mother of the young man tried to interrupt and prevent the marriage—She acted as if she was crazy.

**Report of the Proceedings of the Mass Meeting held at Waconia Jan. 25th 1879.**

Meeting was called to order at 11:45 A. M. On motion Henry Reitz was chosen Chairman, and A. O. Richardson Secretary. The Chairman then briefly stated the object of the meeting, and read the order of business.

The following petition was then presented to the meeting for consideration, and was adopted.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at 1 P. M.

The meeting was called to order at 1 P. M., and the chairman explained the object of the meeting in the German language.

The proceedings of the A. M. session were read by the Secretary.

A motion was then made and carried that the petition adopted in the A. M. session should be reconsidered on the ground that it was not complete.

Another motion was made and carried that the chair should appoint a committee of three to draw up another petition that would cover the whole ground. An amendment was made to this motion, that the chairman should assist the committee. The committee appointed by the chairman was Mr. Fowler, Mr. E. A. Keuder and John G. Maczold.

The following resolutions were presented by the committee and adopted by the meeting.

Resolved, That our Senator and Representatives in the Legislature are hereby instructed to use their utmost endeavors to secure the passage of a law regulating freights and fare upon railroads so that equal and exact justice may be done the producer.

Resolved.—That this meeting tender their thanks to both of our county papers for publishing the call for the meeting, and also to Mr. G. Lipp for the use of his hall. A number of suggestions were made: to

the meeting but they met with no favor. On motion the meeting then adjourned.

The committee appointed by the chairman of this meeting by leave to report the following resolution.

Resolved.—That this meeting is in favor of having the salaries and fees of all officers of the County of Carver fixed according to the terms of the General Laws of this State and that we are opposed to any and all special legislation regulating said salaries and fees.

And further resolved that we request the different members of the Legislature from this county to use their utmost endeavors to secure the repeal of all the special laws now in force regulating the salaries and fees of certain officers in said county—

And Resolved.—That this meeting is in favor of lengthening the terms of county officers of said county in accordance with the suggestions contained in the message of the Governor of this state.

S. FOWLER.  
J. G. MAETZOLD  
A. E. KAEDER  
H. REITZ.

**LEGALS.**

Notice of Mortgage Sale.

Names of Mortgages, Henrietta Kenning and Charles Kenning her husband.

Names of Mortgages, Camp and Walker, a firm composed of George A. Camp and Thomas B. Walker.

Date of Mortgage, November 5th 1878.

Place and date of Record of said Mortgage, in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Carver in said State of Minnesota on the 13th day of November, 1878, at 8 o'clock a. m. in Book "C" of Mortgages, page 274.

Amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, Four Hundred Fifty Six Dollars and Fifty seven cents.

Description of land and premises covered by said Mortgage. All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota, described as follows to-wit: Lot number five (5) in Block number Twenty (20) in the village of Chaska according to the recorded plat thereof.

The conditions of said Mortgage being broken and no proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover any part of said debt.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, and pursuant to statute, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction, in front of the Court House in Chaska in said County of Carver, on the 13th day of March 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m. to satisfy the sum herein claimed to be due and to cover the costs and charges of foreclosure and Attorney's fees of \$25.00.

CAMP & WALKER, Mortgagees.

Bradley & Morrison, Attys. for Mortgagees.

Minneapolis, Minn. Jan. 25th, 1879.

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.**

Names of Mortgages, Sarah F. Richardson and J. S. Richardson her husband.

Mortgage, H. J. Hoen.

Date of Mortgage, September 25th 1878, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver County on the 26th day of November 1878, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon in book "H" of mortgages on page 86.

The amount claimed to be due and that is due thereon at the date of this notice is Four Hundred and sixty seven dollars.

The said mortgaged premises are described as follows, to-wit: Commencing on first street in the townsite of Chaska in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota, sixteen feet west from the south west corner of the block numbered six (6), thence running westerly along said street to and including the north line of lot (14, 1), thence northerly thirty four rods, thence easterly five rods, thence southerly twelve rods in the line of the west line of said block, sixty six (66), thence westerly one rod, thence southerly three hundred and sixteen feet to the line of first street the place of beginning containing about two acres of land, more or less all in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota.

And whereas default has been made in the conditions of said mortgage and no proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the sum due or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and recorded therewith and of the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the said premises will be sold by the Sheriff of said County of Carver at the Court House of the Court House in Chaska in said County on the 13th day of January, 1879, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at public venue to the highest bidder therefor for cash to satisfy the amount due thereon and costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

Dated at Chaska, December 18th 1878.

H. J. RECK, Mortgagee.

W. C. ODELL, Att'y. for Mortgagee.

F. E. DU TOIT, Sheriff Carver County Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Carver, } S. S.  
In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ferdinand Thies deceased.

Whereas Geo. A. DuToit, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased has filed his account in this court as executor of said estate, and praying that the same may be allowed and he be discharged as executor thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given to all persons interested in said estate to appear before this court at Chaska in said Co., on Monday the 25th day of February A. D. 1879 at 10 o'clock a. m. to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed and he be honorably discharged from said trust. Given under my hand this 21st day of Jan. 1879.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, } S. S.  
County of Carver, }

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the Estate of Jeremiah Bundy deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Mary A. Bundy of Veron Indiana representing, another thing, that Jeremiah Bundy late of Veron Ind., on the fifth day of Dec. A. D. 1876, at first died intestate, leaving an interest in real estate within this County, and that the said Petitioner's widow said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate, be to James Goodnow of Minneapolis Min., granted. It is ordered that said petition be heard before the Judge of this Court, on the 23rd day of February A. D. 1879 at 10 o'clock A. M. at Court house in said County.

Order further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased, and to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order three successive weeks prior to the day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly Newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said County.

Dated at Chaska the 20th day of Dec. A. D. 1878.

By the Court.

J. A.



# Chaska Valley Herald.

FRID. E. DU TOIT, Editor.

CHASKA, CARVER CO., MINNESOTA.

## NEWS OF THE WEEK

### ORDERS AND BUSINESS.

A large party of stock men have left Sidney, Nebraska, for the Sand Hills country, south of Snake river in search of stolen ponies, run off by Indians. The party is well armed. Daniel M. Morley, postmaster at Morley, Barron county, Wis., was arrested and confined in jail at Chippewa Falls, Jan. 24th, for robbing his own daughter last August. Morley is 45 years old. His daughter is held in custody by her bondsmen at Barron, Wis.

A report from Sitting Bull's camp is to the effect that he is, apparently, extremely anxious to make peace with the whites and return to the United States. He says he has had enough of war, that he made a mistake in warring upon the whites. By so doing he lost his country.

A. B. Williams, N. J., telegram says: Convicted criminals in the State prison ranging from one to four years—all hard labor. The contractor involved in the case was sentenced to six months in the county jail to pay a fine of \$500.

Friday Jan. 24th, three negroes at Meriden, Mississippi, named Alexander, three white men named Alexander, quarreled over the possession of some land in Wayne county, and later the negroes ambushed the white men, killing one and wounding another. The fire was returned and two negroes were killed.

Thursday night, Jan. 23d, a well-to-do farmer named O. P. Hall, residing near the village of Waukegan, Ill., rose in the night, and, with an axe, split the head of his daughter Emma, aged 15, and immediately thereafter shot himself with a pistol, wounding her. He was known, as he was unusually fond of his family.

There were two incendiary fires in St. Paul, Minn., Sunday morning, January 26th. In each case a small barn was fired, and before the fire was extinguished it broke out in the other some distance away. In the latter, a horse was burned. The wind was blowing almost a gale, but by the well exerted efforts of the firemen, the fire was confined to the building in which it originated.

In the United States circuit court in Jacksonville, Florida, January 23, Judge Steiner sentenced the Rev. John C. Calhoun, a Baptist minister, to three years in the penitentiary for sedition. The Rev. Calhoun was charged with having written a pamphlet entitled "The Negro in the United States," in which he had attacked the government and its policies.

At St. Louis, Mo., January 24, John F. Hickey, a restaurant waiter, about 17 years of age, stole a coat from the public school library and attempted to escape through an alley near by. He was pursued by Officer Hamilton and ordered to halt, but, paying no attention to the officer, he ran on. He was then taken to the police station and held for trial.

### PERSONAL AND FUNERAL.

Paul Morin, life Senator and Republican in France, is dead.

Mrs. Capt. Daniel Robbins died at Erie, Pa., Jan. 21, in her 100 year.

The number of cipher telegrams in Gen. Butler's possession is 400.

Gen. Butler says a portion of the cipher telegrams have been destroyed.

The Senate committee on commerce have decided to report adversely on the New York custom house nominations.

Mr. Potter says a sub-committee will be sent to New York to take testimony in the cipher dispatch investigation.

W. W. Armstrong, of the Cleveland *Union*, is mentioned as the next Democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio.

Hon. John Cadwalader of Philadelphia, Judge of the United States eastern district of Pennsylvania, died Jan. 26, aged 73 years.

Jan. 22, Lewis P. Cloner, a survivor of the Dartmouth massacre, died of the 1812 died at Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 80 years.

In New York city, the jury in the libel suit of Wallace P. Groom against Peter Cooper, for \$50,000 damages brought in a verdict for the defendant.

Matt Carpenter was overtaken on his arrival at Milwaukee. "Lo, the conquering hero," seemed to be the sentiment of his friends.

The Senate committee on commerce had a long session, Jan. 23d, without discussion of the New York custom house nominations.

A bill has been introduced in the Wisconsin Senate, prohibiting the sale of liquor within one mile of any building used exclusively for the confinement of insane patients.

Rev. C. D. Birfield, Protestant missionary at Aspinwall, died January 14th. He was a graduate of Baldwin University, Berea, Ohio, and had been on the Isthmus only three months.

Attorney General Devins has requested the solicitor general to proceed to Alabama for the purpose of defending federal officers in that State recently arrested on a charge of conspiracy.

Ashtland, Va., telegram: R. L. Beal, conservative, elected to the Forty-sixth Congress, has been chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Representative Douglass.

In the Senate of Arkansas the rebel spirit seems not to be wholly slain. A resolution was introduced to remove the portraits of Lincoln and Jackson, it was rejected 18 to 9.

The Gen. Butler State central committee of Massachusetts recently held a meeting and announced the intention of conducting an earnest and aggressive campaign in behalf of their candidate. An address to the people has been published.

In order that members of the Wisconsin legislature, who wished, might accompany Matt Carpenter to Milwaukee to participate in the great oration there, a joint resolution was introduced to adjourn from Jan. 23d to Monday, but it failed.

The Potter committee had a long session on Saturday, Jan. 25th. St. Martin was the witness stand to day, making some spicy revelations, without conceding his testimony the committee adjourned.

1:30 p. m., the State was without a governor for an hour and twenty minutes. Harshman's term having expired at noon.

At Springfield, Ill., Jan. 21st, the Legislature voted for United States Senator with the following result: In the Senate Logan received 35, Black, Democrat, 24, McCall, Socialist, 1. In the House Logan received 80, Black, 60, Campbell 10, McCall 10.

The California legislature is at loggerheads. A Boie City dispatch of Jan. 26th says the two wings of the lower House of the legislature have come together. The Democratic organization has been declared illegal. Forty-eight ballots for speakerhip without choice.

A compromise looked for. In the Potter committee, the resolution of Representative Reed providing that Mr. Tilden be allowed to be represented at the meetings of the committee by counsel states provided that it shall be the duty of the Democratic caucus to table the resolution and the Republican caucus to accept it.

General Sherman will soon start on a two weeks' tour of the South Atlantic States. His special object is to examine the shanties of the military property of the United States in Florida and Alabama, with a view to securing the measures necessary to secure the interests of the United States.

At Washington, on the evening of Jan. 20th, Attorney General Devins presided at a meeting of citizens of Massachusetts to manifest respect to the memory of Calhoun. Suitable resolutions were adopted and a committee appointed to make arrangements for memorial service in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The ballot for United States Senator was taken in each House of the legislature, at Jefferson City, Jan. 21st, which resulted in the election of the Democratic caucus. Gen. James Shields was elected by the House, and Col. Geo. G. Vest for the long term.

Vest was a member of the Confederate Congress in the days of the rebellion.

The health of Senator Christianity, of Michigan, is reported to be very poor. His illness has been reported to be a result of a cold, and he is believed by prominent members of the legislature, that Senator Christianity will surely resign his seat in the United States Senate and accept the United States judgeship in the Eastern district of Michigan.

Representative Turner's bill to regulate charges for Pullman palace cars and other sleeping cars operated by the United States, has been introduced in the House. It provides that it shall be unlawful to charge more than \$1 for the use of same by one person for twenty-four hours, under penalty of a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$5,000 imposed on the corporation.

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At Toledo, O., January 24th, Dayton & Michigan company's elevator B, with contents, consisting of 100,000 bushels of grain, mostly corn, was destroyed by fire. Estimated loss \$55,000. The building is insured in Cincinnati for \$25,000. Insurance on grain \$40,000. The fire started in the cupola and spread to the main body of the building.

In New York City January 24th, August Phillips, alias Ooty Toody, and his mistress, Mary Hopely, quarreled at their residence, 142 West Sixty-sixth street, and shot him in the side, it is thought fatally. About four hours later Phillips attacked the woman and beat and kicked her so severely that he is said to be in danger. Both were taken to the hospital.

A Faribault, Minn., telegram of Jan. 21, says the examination of Bryant, the teacher, through whose instrumentality Sammy Crossett's leg was broken has been closed, and from that time the case was under examination. It would seem that it was an entirely unexciting transaction, and a disgraceful affair all through.

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## FOURTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

SENATE, Jan. 20.—Mr. Cockrell introduced a bill to amend the act of national banks and to amend the currency to the wants of trade. The vice-president submitted communications among them a recommendation from Gen. Sherman, Sheridan and Terry, concerning the bill for the appropriation of \$100,000 to erect military headquarters at Fort Snelling. Mr. Morgan submitted the resolution adopted by the Democratic caucus as a substitute for the bill. The patent amendment bill was discussed and some amendments adopted. Mr. Whelan gave motion of the bill for the amendment of the act of national banks and to amend the currency to the wants of trade.

HOUSE, Jan. 20.—Bills were introduced, among them one to pay southern mail contractors, one to repeal all laws for the appointment of supervisors of railroads, and one to amend the act relating to the appointment of public lands, and by Mr. Tilden, a resolution for the investigation of the pension office, and one to amend the act relating to the pension office.

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A Modern Romeo.

He was swinging on the gate—  
And he called to him to wait—  
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Hour, filled, came she not;  
Fled his patience, and he got  
Aggravated.

Will give her a surprise—  
This he muttered and he flies  
To her window.

And he warbled, "I am here;  
Come and comfort me my dear,  
My Beloved."

Then he scooted, taking not  
All the components of what  
Robbed his body.

And the cur that sat and chewed  
Winked at him, as if he "knewed"  
It was shoddy.

A Terrible Encounter.

I had been living in Oakland but a  
short time, and crossed the ferry every  
day to business in San Francisco.

One evening I was watching from the ferry-  
boat the lights of San Francisco receding  
in the distance, and was absorbed in the  
beauty of their dancing, flashing, many-  
colored rays.

Long lanes of brilliant  
lamps were coming into view, and then  
giving place to others, all these things  
of view, seemed to revolve upon a com-  
mon centre, while the thousand lights  
upon the hills were reflected in the  
dim water of the bay.

Gradually a  
feeling of a dread over me—a cur-  
tain seemed to fall over the lights, ex-  
cluding from my view all save one, a  
bright red lamp upon the water front—  
the danger signal to my awakening ap-  
prehensions.

I turned suddenly, and saw him for  
the first time—a tall, athletic man, his  
face covered with a long black beard,  
standing near and evidently watching  
me.

As I turned he stepped toward me,  
and I noticed that we were alone upon  
the afterdeck. I jumped away from the  
rail, and hastily joined the crowd of  
passengers.

Little Red-check, who was sitting  
near me, laughed at my foolish fears,  
and looked in vain for the fellow who  
had alarmed me. I saw him  
no more that night, and began to curse  
my cowardice, for there was nothing at  
all remarkable in the circumstances, and  
we two were alone upon that part of the  
deck, and there really was nothing  
suspicious in the movement he made  
toward me.

However, I sleep but little  
that night, and felt uneasy for several days  
afterward. This apparently trivial in-  
cident made so great an impression on  
my mind that I bought a revolver, carefully  
loaded it, and carried it always with me.

For some weeks I saw nothing of the  
man, and although I had ceased to think  
of him, I continued from habit to carry  
the pistol.

One night I had been working late in  
my office, and was hurrying down Cali-  
fornia Street to take the last boat for  
Oakland. When near the corner of Bat-  
tery Street, I was seized by the same  
feeling of terror that had so often in-  
vaded my mind.

My hand was upon my revolver. At the cor-  
ner I met the same black-bearded stran-  
ger, and recognized him immediately. I  
stopped full in front of me, and extend-  
ing his arm to bar the way, he said:

"My friend, do you know that your life  
is in danger on these streets at this hour  
of the night?"

I had with me a considerable sum of  
money that had been handed me in the  
evening, and which in my hurry I had  
forgotten to defend.

"Yes," I answered, as I drew and pre-  
sented my pistol, "I know that, and am  
prepared to defend it."

The instant he saw the pistol he fled up  
Battery Street and disappeared. Had I  
raised an alarm I should be detained, and  
would have missed the last boat, which  
indeed, I barely succeeded in catching.

I did not mention the occurrence to  
any one, as my business often obliged me  
to remain in the city until late in the  
evening, and if my family knew of it they  
would be constantly alarmed for my safety.

Some time had passed, when one day,  
feeling that a ramble among the hills  
would do me good, I took an early boat  
to Sausalito, and returned through the  
canyons among the hills.

Again that nameless terror came upon  
me, and I was hurrying through the  
woods along a narrow path leading  
to the road, when suddenly a figure brought  
me face to face with the tall unknown.

For the first time I saw his face distinct-  
ly. It was an intelligent countenance,  
but there was something restless in his  
expression, and his eyes looked wild and  
evil.

For a moment I stood transfixed with  
fear and amazement. He bent his  
piercing eyes on me, and laughed a low,  
mocking laugh. My blood curdled.

THE HOUSE AND FARM.

Useful and Suggestive.  
Cottage Pudding.—With two cups of  
flour mix thoroughly two teaspoons bak-  
ing powder, one egg, one teaspoonful  
butter, three-quarters of a cup of sugar,  
one-half cup of sweet milk; flavor with  
lemon. To be baked quickly and eaten  
while hot.

Never put the hands on butter. There  
is no excuse for so doing, and every sense  
of cleanliness forbids it. True, the hands  
are clean; still, butter absorbs any and  
every impurity with which it comes in  
contact, excretae.

The reading of that paragraph lifted a  
great load off my mind. I had slain a  
life-insurance agent, and it was justifiable  
homicide, after all. No jury would find  
a different verdict. I was safe, but said  
nothing.—San Francisco Argonaut.

A Mistake.  
BY MARY MAPES DOWDE.  
Little Rosey Red-check said to a clover:  
"Flower, why were you made?"  
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For further particulars inquire of the proprietor on the premises at the Herald office.  
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4 2-40 P. M.  
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Passenger, 10-55 A. M. Passenger, 2-45 P. M.  
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### Here and There.

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The ice business is about over.  
Col. Baxter, came up Saturday and visited his constituents. He is much improved in health.  
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We are under many obligations to Senator Mills and Col. Baxter for public documents.

Justice Dickey's court was occupied several days the first part of this week in attending to law suits.

Theodore Kenning, has purchased the necessary machinery and will hereafter make the moving of buildings a specialty. See advertisement in another column.

Sufficient ice has been made in this city to supply a city of 10,000 inhabitants the coming summer.

There is considerable sickness among children in this vicinity, mostly colds and fevers. Keep their feet warm and dry.

Read the notice of Rev. Father Braun, of Benton, in another column. He would be pleased to have his scarf returned.

Mrs. L. W. Noble and child have been quite sick, but we are pleased to say are now improving.

Read the card of Dr. Richardson in another column. The Dr., is one of our oldest and most skillful physicians.

M. H. Mayres, our insurance agent, has been called to Hancock this week to do some insurance. Matt says he has his hands full at present in the insurance line.

Francis Krayenbuhl, Esq., son of G. Krayenbuhl, is home on a visit. He has been quite sick but is rapidly mending. He remains only a few days.

For a pamphlet on Electric Treatment of chronic diseases with Electricity, which will be sent free, address the McIntosh Electric Bell and Battery Co., 192 & 194 Jackson St., Chicago, Ill.

Business done at the Post Office at Chaska Minn., during the year 1878.

### MONEY ORDER BUSINESS.

No. of Orders issued, 832  
Amount received, \$9,739.00  
Fees received, 89.53  
No. of Orders paid, 97  
Amount paid, \$1,782.57

### REGISTERED BUSINESS.

No. of letters registered, 224  
No. of registered letters received, 192  
No. of registered letters passing through intramit, 916  
Total amount of stamps, stamped envelopes and postal card sold during the year, \$317.63

Mother when your dear baby suffers in teething, use Dr. Winchell's Teething Syrup. It will soothe the gums, soothe the pain and bring natural sleep. Sold by Druggists at 25 cts a bottle.

### KILLED BY THE CARS.

Harvey Colegrove, conductor on the H. & D. Railroad, was accidentally killed last Friday evening at Benton Station. The train passed over his body killing him instantly. It is supposed that he accidentally fell upon the track and was caught by the passing train before he could move.

Mr. C. was a very genial gentleman and universally liked and his death is very much regretted.

### SOMETHING NEW.

The Board of County Commissioners of Le Sueur County at their late session passed a resolution instructing their members of the Legislature to procure the passage of an act increasing the salary of the County Auditor of that county to \$1,500 a year. This is something new in these days of retrenchment and economy, but we suppose that friend Bruce is to be congratulated on filing his office so acceptably to the people.

### WATCHMAKER & JEWELER.

Ludwig Dracem, practical Watchmaker and Jeweler, recently of Glenwood, has rented a room in town from Mr. Krayenbuhl and will move to his new place in a couple of weeks. Mr. D. is a first class workman and will open out a first class store and shop. We wish him success.

## A DANGEROUS FIRE.

The new store building of Philip Henk, occupied by Otto Streissguth, Esq., was discovered on fire Monday night about 1 o'clock. Fortunately the fire was discovered by Fred Eider, who gave the alarm which was promptly responded to by our Fire Company who soon had the fire under complete control. The fire caught from a pipe leading through the first floor of the building and carrying the heat of a large brick furnace in the basement to a large drum in the store. The damage to the building will probably be about \$50, while the loss to the goods will amount to \$100. It was through the prompt action of our fire department that the building was saved and probably our city from a serious conflagration.

The loss is fully covered by insurance in companies represented by Jos. Franken, Esq., and W. C. Broedelengen.

Man with ill his endowments, is in many things most foolish, he will give all he has for his life, but is reckless and indifferent to his health. He will give up a thief who steals his purse, yet will dilly with a cold and catch cold and die. He will give up a thief who steals his purse, yet will dilly with a cold and catch cold and die. He will give up a thief who steals his purse, yet will dilly with a cold and catch cold and die.

### QUITE ILL.

We learn from Dr. Richardson, attending physician, that John Schmeitz, an old pioneer settler of Laketown, has been quite ill the past two or three weeks. We are pleased to say however, that he is now improving and will soon be out.

The many friends of Mike Platzer, formerly a resident of this city and brewer for Mr. Peter Hiltz, will be pleased to learn that he has settled at Perlman, Otter Tail County, and that he is doing well.

Peevish children have worms. Dr. Jaques' German Worm Cakes will destroy the worms and make the children happy. Sold by Jos. Franken.

Fred Henning was happy on Monday, occasioned by his wife presenting him with a fine large boy. Well Fred the Herald extends its hearty congratulations.

Uncle Sam's Harness Oil put on your harness, will make the leather look new, and keep it soft and pliable. Give it a trial. Sold by Jos. Franken.

Our old friend Casper Baschmeier, of Chanhassen, has been presented by his estimable wife with a nice baby girl. Casper you have our hearty congratulations.

### THE DIME CONCERT.

The dime concert last Friday was a success and merited larger attendance. The music was excellent and the selections in good taste. We hope it may be repeated in the near future under more favorable circumstances.

For every ache, pain and bruise on man or beast Uncle Sam's Nerve and Bone Liment is the Balm. Sold by all Druggists.

### DIED.

Mathias Logelin, lost a young child, three months of age last Sunday night. It had been sick some time with Lung Fever. The funeral on Tuesday afternoon from the Catholic Church was largely attended.

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We are selling Overcoats, Boys Youths' and Mens, also all classes of winter goods way down, less than they can be bought for in the eastern market.

Send in your order for an overcoat before it is too late, 500 on hand which we are selling. We challenge competition at our present prices and warrant the goods to be equal to the best. Now is the appointed time, repeat your rash determination to get along without a new overcoat this winter, and with trade dollars or Canada money at FAR take one of our great bargains.

PERSONAL.—E. Hainlin Esq., of Watertown made us a pleasant call last Monday, while in town on business.

Hon. H. W. Mills, stopped in town a short time last Saturday while on his way home.

Hon. Adam Hill, came up last Saturday and went home the same day to visit his family.

Alymer Richardson, teacher of Laketown was in town on Sunday and made us a pleasant call.

Maj. Rogers of the H. D. Road was in town Monday.

Our old friend Chas. Bachmann, of Young America was in town Friday last shaking hands with his many friends.

Mike Engler, Esq., one of the old and best citizens of Chanhassen, called in to see us Monday and renew his subscription.

Chas. Halgreen, P. M., of Watertown was also in town Monday.

Mike and John Preis, two of our old friends and among our best citizens, visited our office last week.

### Watertown Items.

C. Kohler, will give a Grand Masquerade Ball Feb. 24th. Tickets \$1.00.

E. Moers has a complete set of fine masks, and costumes. Call and take your pick.

"Moserism" is the watch word now; sever of the young I die, have "sailed." Doc, Lou B. ch proposes to give a public exhibition, at the Lyceum, Saturday Eve.

Diphtheria in an aggravated form, is very prevalent in this vicinity, for the first time. Doc, Lou B. ch proves too much for it, however.

Our friend Gust. Kohler, who recently departed this place, has been heard from. He has purchased a house shop at Benson. May good luck follow his wife, and a wife be his first trouble. Sundries ann.

In the reports of births, and deaths, in the Herald, Watertown from some oversight, does not lead the van, it has nevertheless a flattering tally; 51 to 11. There's luck in odd numbers.

A disagreeable row took place at a spelling school, near this place, Friday night, at which hair, and blood, were the principal ingredients. It has turned into a neighborhood squall, and the end is not yet. Still there is more to follow.

### Waconia Items.

The meeting of the Literary Society, last Monday evening, drew together a large number of Waconians. All present enjoyed the occasion. The programme was long, and comprised some very instructive and interesting features. The fine singing by the Misses Bergquist, Kate and Emma, and Messrs. Broberg and Lonsdon, constituted one of the most attractive features of the entertainment.

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### SURGEON DENTIST.

Will open an office at Carver, will be there regularly every two weeks, commencing on the Thursday the 27th day of January, and remaining two days. Charges according to the times and work guaranteed.

### FOR SALE!

Store Dwelling and Lot.  
A good Store Building, Dwelling House and 3/4 of an acre of ground in the village of Benton, the property of the late Leonard Hochhausen is offered for sale at a bargain.

For particulars inquire of the undersigned, Benton Minn.  
CONRAD PEELEHAAR, Administrator.

### BEER KEGS.

Farmers having empty beer kegs from the Union Brewery, are hereby notified to return them to said Brewery at once or trouble will be made them.

Chaska, Dec. 28th 1878.  
GEORGE KARCHER, Propr.

### SEALED PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals will be received until January 1st for building a frame school house in joint dist. 57 to 62 1/2 x 28 feet, dimensions nine and nine feet. Parties who wish to bid can address for particulars to  
J. K. HACKETTER, Clerk,  
Hollywood, Dec. 28th 1878.

### FARM FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers his farm for sale, situated in the town of Hancock, section 18, town 14, containing 145 acres—50 acres under cultivation, good meadow, timber, &c., and easy to be cleared. Good log house, granary and well. The farm is situated on a corner of the land near the house.

Terms—Part cash and balance on two or three years time.  
Hancock, Dec. 30th 1878.  
BRIDGET O'MALLY.

### Hides! Hides!!

The highest cash price paid for green hides and furs, at  
PHILLIP MEYER,  
Chaska, Minn.

### Wood for Sale.

Persons desirous of purchasing wood are hereby notified that John C. Leinhardt of Laketown, has a large supply of first class wood on the banks of Minnetonka Lake which he offers for sale at current prices.

### NOTICE TO SALOON KEEPER, AND ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Notice is hereby given that Gottlieb Kreissen is an habitual drunkard, and that all persons are hereby forbidden and restricted from giving, selling or disposing of any manner whatsoever to said Gottlieb Kreissen, any spirituous liquors, under any pretext or for any purpose.  
Waconia October 15th 1878.  
JACOB KLAMMER.

### M. H. Mayres

Fire, Life & Marine Insurance Agent,  
Office over Herald office, 2nd St.  
CHASKA, MINNESOTA.

### UNION HALL!

J. M. TROLL,  
CARVER, MINN.  
Liquors, Cigars, St. Paul and Minneapolis is a Lager Beer always kept on hand. Good stabling and water attached.

### North Western Hotel.

GLENCOR, MINN.  
Is centrally located, and has good stable facilities.  
Feb. 15 by  
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### JOHN MATHIES' CARPET HOUSE.

Carpets!  
Wall Papers and Window Shades, Damask, Lace and Muslin Curtains.

To the trade throughout the State, we can furnish Goods in our line cheaper than ever before offered by any house in the state.

Salesroom No. 44 and 46 W. Third Street, St. Paul, Minn.

### WASHINGTON HOUSE

CHASKA, MINN.  
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Board by the day or week for reasonable prices. First class saloon attached (best stabling attached to the premises). Travelers will find themselves at home.

### Chaska House.

CHASKA, MINNESOTA.  
F. HAMMER, Proprietor.

This House is thoroughly furnished, and offers the best accommodations for board by the day or week, and for the traveling public. Good stabling attached. Charges moderate.

### Chaska Express

ADAM RICE announces to the citizens of Chaska that he will run his express agent to and from the station.  
On Arrival of Each Train, and will do general Express and drayage business in the village of Chaska. Charges moderate.  
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## Linenfelter & Faber.

Chaska, Minn.

### Dealers In

Dry Goods, Crockery and Glass Ware, Boots and Shoes, Ready Made Clothing, Hats and Caps, Groceries, &c.,

In fact everything usually found in a first class establishment. We keep constantly on hand the LARGEST STOCK and best assortment in the Valley, which we are offering at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

### No Closing Out Sale HUMBUG.